

## IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

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Applicant:

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Title:

A SEMICONDUCTOR DEVICE FORMED ON A SOI

**SUBSTRATE** 

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Examiner:

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## RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents P.O. Box 1450 Alexandria, VA 22313-1450

Sir:

In response to the Office Action mailed, the Applicants respond to the Restriction Requirement by electing the invention of Species I, the specie depicted in Figure 4, Claims 1-8.

Applicants further respectfully assert that claim 1 is generic.

If a fee or additional fee is required, the Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any fee or additional fee that may be required and credit any excess to Deposit Account No. 50-1417.

Respectfully submitted,

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